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In Re the Application of:

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MOUNTING BASE APPARATUS AND
METHOD OF USE

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Dear Sir:

In response to the May 13, 2009 Final Office Action (the "Office Action"), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

Exhibit A to this Response is a Declaration Under 37 CFR §1.131 in further support of Applicant's remarks.

Applicant submits a Request for Continued Examination and the requisite small entity fee for a Request for Continued Examination. Applicant believes no other fees are due for this submission. Please credit any over payment or debit any under payment to Deposit Account No. 08-2665.